

## REPORT SALE OF BONDS

Construction on the Line May Soon Begin.

NORFOLK AND YANKTON NOT DEAD

The Promoters Said to Have Placed Their Bonds—Reported Project of the North-western Folks Should the Yankton and Norfolk Endeavor to Build.

A report from Omaha is to the effect that work on the Yankton, Norfolk and Southwestern railroad will be commenced within about 20 days and states that the promoters, J. S. Meckling of Chicago and W. W. Graham of Norfolk, O., have placed the bonds. The World-Herald published the following: "The World-Herald can state on what is considered reliable authority that work on the new road from Yankton to Omaha will be commenced within the next 20 days, and that the section of the road between Yankton and Norfolk will be pushed rapidly to completion, to be followed by the building of a second section from Norfolk to Omaha, by way of Fremont. The new road will not, however, parallel the Elkhorn road except for a very short distance, but will open up a new territory.

"The securing by Mr. Graham, the chief promoter of the new road, of the right of way between Yankton and Norfolk—in securing which and grading and bridges over \$100,000 was expended several years ago—was noted several months ago. Since then considerable preliminary work has been done and Messrs. Graham and Meckling announce that they have now closed a deal for the bonds to build the road.

"The new road will have easy grades, and a run through a rich agricultural and stock territory, in addition to which it will form a connecting link between Omaha and the Jim river valley, the richest portion of South Dakota."

The Sioux City Journal, which is naturally strongly opposed to the construction of the proposed road, last Wednesday published the following concerning the situation, the World Herald report does not, however, bear out the Journal's belief that the bonds would not sell:

"The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, which has been temporarily blocked in the construction of its Charles Mix county line by Jim Hill, president of the Great Northern, who unexpectedly has bobbed up in possession of the Dakota Southern's grant through the Yankton Indian reservation, is not alone in its grief. The Yankton, Norfolk and Southwestern is having a touch of it.

"It appears that if J. S. Meckling, of Chicago, and W. W. Graham, of Norfolk, O., promoters of this Yankton road, who have been in Sioux City many times in the last two months, imagined they were going to be permitted uninterruptedly to build cross lots, they reckoned without the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha, which has four branch lines running northward from its main line from Sioux City to Norfolk. These are short roads running to New-castle, Hartington, Bloomfield and Verdigris. The Meckling road could not very well get from Yankton to Norfolk without crossing at least two of these branches, and it might cross three of them. The Omaha does not intend to sit still with its hands folded while the Yankton, Norfolk and Southwestern people cut into their territory. It has placed a party of surveyors in the field and is running a line from Hartington to Crofton, a small inland town twelve miles south of Yankton, on the Meckling survey. There it has stopped threateningly. The move is taken to mean that if Mr. Meckling and his associates begin building operations on their line, the Omaha immediately will extend its Hartington branch to Yankton and freeze the new line off the map. It is believed that if this is the intention of the Northwestern people, their scheme will work, as buyers of bonds instantly recognize how useless it would be to enter the field against such competition."

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## FRIDAY FACTS.

F. M. Hoyer went duck hunting yesterday.

W. G. Ecks of Sioux Falls, S. D., is a city visitor.

Miss Nellie Seymour is visiting Lincoln friends.

Mrs. Chas. Smith was a visitor yesterday from Battle Creek.

The postmaster's salary at Plainview has been raised to \$1,100.

R. Stitt and son, Curtis, went to Stanton at noon to attend the fair.

Capt. Alfred Gerecke witnessed the races at the Stanton fair yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shively were passengers for Omaha on the noon train.

Mrs. J. G. Troutman and Opal Madison are visitors at the Stanton fair today.

Geo. Williams has gone to Wisner with some of his cattle which he has for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. True return today from their visit to their former home in Pender.

Mrs. Moses Kidder, who has been very sick, is much improved and able to get out of doors.

D. J. Sheehan of Rongis, Wyoming, is visiting at the home of his father-in-law, Geo. Williams.

Mrs. M. D. Chilson is a guest at the home of C. S. Hayes, enroute from Lincoln to her home in Randolph.

M. Henderson returned yesterday from a trip west where he reports good sales, having disposed of four organs.

Max Lense has gone to Tilden where he will have charge of the Edwards & Bradford lumber yards.

Arthur Ahlman won the bicycle race at Stanton yesterday—a trick he has of doing in almost every race he enters.

Dr. Stevenson, physician at the hospital for insane, has returned from a few days' recreation at his home in Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davenport drove to the fair at Stanton yesterday and were very much pleased with the display there made.

W. O. Hall's horse, "Birchwood" won the 2:40 trotting race at the Stanton fair yesterday. The horse is entered for another race today.

A little daughter arrived this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Koenigstein and is likely to make that her home for many years to come.

Miss Van Ness of Lincoln was the guest of Mrs. E. C. Connor over night. She was on her way to Wayne to attend a session of the Baptist association.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gow, Wm. Hamilton, Knox Tipple, Dr. A. B. Tashjean and Dallas Brunson were among the Norfolk visitors to the Stanton fair today.

A. H. Bohnert of Neligh has rented the room in the Koenigstein block next door east of the postoffice and will open up therein a grocery store on the first of the month.

A drawing representing the appearance of the proposed new auditorium and a plan of its seating capacity is now displayed on the walls of the postoffice where it attracts much attention.

Wm. Schwertfeger, whose ankle was injured some time ago while loading his engine tender with coal, will return to work tomorrow, he having recovered sufficiently from his injury.

Messrs. A. K. Leonard, S. L. Gardner, George Christoph and J. L. Hershiser drove to Stanton this afternoon to attend the races. It is said they will take to that city and enter in the race Mr. Leonard's famous pacer, "Billy."

The Times-Tribune press which has been used in the Star office at Madison arrived last night but the force was unable to get it in working order in time for this morning's issue. It is promised, however, that a paper will be issued tomorrow morning.

The Saturday News is rapidly being recognized as a fine advertising medium, and as a readable paper is considered a grand success. Advertisements or notices for the Saturday issue should be handed in before the day of issue if possible and, at latest, the first thing in the morning.

A surprise party was perpetrated on Miss Minnie Verges last night at her home on North Tenth street, the occasion being her 20th birthday. A large number of friends participated in the festivities, which were very enjoyable. During the evening delicate refreshments were served.

L. L. Ranke has returned from a visit to Holt county. He states that the political situation up there has changed very much in the past year. This county has been a populist stronghold but many of the party are disgusted with their leaders and will vote the republican ticket this fall. He believes that the election returns will show a great change of sentiment.

The social given by the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church at the home of Mrs. Hannah Goodrich last evening was a very successful affair, was attended by a large number of people and netted the ladies about \$35. The receipt by 28 of the ladies as to how they made a dollar out of 25 cents loaned them by the society, proved very interesting. Some of them were written very nicely in poetry.

A large number of amusement-loving

people from the city attended the weekly entertainment at the hospital for the insane last night and report a most enjoyable time. The grounds at the hospital have recently had some improvements in the matter of illumination. The driveway from the street to the buildings has been nicely illuminated while the archway over the entrance has also received the addition of some lamps.

A Greek carnival by home talent will be given in Marquardt's hall next Tuesday evening, September 26, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church. The entertainment promises to be of an exceedingly interesting nature and will not doubt be liberally patronized. Remember the date. Prices of admission—15 and 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents.

A company of eight or ten of the members of Mathewson post, G. A. R., some of them accompanied by their wives, went to Warnerville last night and, with the assistance of several old soldiers from Madison, held a camp fire in Warner's hall which proved very enjoyable. A nice supper was served during the evening and the enjoyment was continued until late, the Norfolk delegation driving home in the morning light.

The senior class of the High school has arranged for a course of lectures to be given during the coming winter. The series will consist of four lectures by prominent platform orators on live topics of the day. The young folks composing the class are to be congratulated on giving this evidence of their enterprise and it is to be hoped that the lectures will not alone result in pecuniary profit, but will be a fund of intellectual gain that will materially aid them in their last few months of public school work.

N. Hill, the real estate agent, has on display in his window some mammoth vegetables raised by T. C. Van Horn on his farm south of the city. The collection is as follows: Six onions grown from the seed, the weight of the six being six and one half pounds; two table beets, Northrup, King & Co's Market Garden variety, weight 12 1/2 pounds; one Mangel wurtzel of Improved Long Red variety, weight 16 1/2 pounds, length 28 1/2 inches, circumference 10 1/2 inches. Mr. Van Horn has some way of raising monstrous vegetables that may well be the envy of gardeners and farmers.

## SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Miss Emma Mueller is on the sick list.

The Misses Kilpatrick of Foster are city visitors.

Mrs. C. F. Rosburg of Randolph was in the city yesterday.

G. R. Seiler has returned from a visit to the exposition at Omaha.

J. W. Shipley of Randolph was a Sugar City visitor yesterday.

J. Henderson of Clearwater was in the city on business yesterday.

Miss Georgia Harvey is clerking in Beeler Bros.' store temporarily.

F. A. Thompson of Sheldon, Iowa, is visiting at the home of J. H. Oxnam.

Mrs. J. Ryan and daughter of Creighton are visiting with Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Wm. B. Vall's horse won first money in the carriage race at Stanton yesterday.

Mrs. Josephine Hull returned last night from her visit to friends in Madison.

Richard Requa went to Battle Creek yesterday to attend to telephone business.

Frank Thibot was brought to the hospital for insane yesterday from Burt county.

W. O. Hall's horse won second money in the trotting race at the Stanton fair yesterday.

Misses Mattie and Lizzie Lichtenberg returned home from a visit to Stanton yesterday.

Dr. C. H. Taylor, the Yankton eye specialist, is in the city attending to the needs of patients.

W. R. Braasch was among the Norfolk crowd that witnessed the races at the Stanton fair yesterday.

J. W. Edwards has purchased a residence lot on South Fourth street and will probably build thereon.

Mrs. Henry Hollyfield is enjoying a visit from her mother and grandmother, whose homes are at Wayne.

A number of Chinamen passed through the city today enroute to San Francisco by way of the Union Pacific.

F. J. Freeman of the Omaha Bee, representing that paper's Century club, is in the city attending to business.

James Nickle is having brick hauled onto a vacant lot near the home of W. J. Gow where he will build a residence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bishop of New Haven, Conn., are in the city. Mr. Bishop is looking after his brother's property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Durstad, who have been visiting in the city for the past few days, returned to their home at Plainview yesterday.

Miss Beattie Mills left for Lincoln today on her way to Pine Bluff, Ark., after a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Robertson went to Madison today to meet Mr. and Mrs.

F. M. Smith of Dixon, Ill., who are relatives and will return with them for a visit.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwede died yesterday and was buried today, the funeral services being conducted at Christ Lutheran church by Rev. J. P. Mueller.

Wynn Rainbolt departed today for Cambridge, Mass., where he will re-enter Harvard university to continue his studies, after having spent an enjoyable vacation at home.

Thomas Earhart, a Madison cigar maker, is reported to have had an eye blown out by the explosion of a target rifle while attending the street fair at Lincoln Wednesday. The gun threw the charge backward with the above result.

The Norfolk people who have been attending the fair at Stanton were well pleased with the exhibit made as well as the treatment accorded them by Stanton people. In ordinary but expressive slang parlance, it is pronounced "out o' sight."

Many little friends of Edwin Gow surprised him last evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gow on Nebraska avenue and Twelfth street, the occasion being the 13th anniversary of his birth. A most enjoyable evening was passed by the little folks.

Capt. A. C. Logan of Creighton visited in the city over night with his sister, Mrs. G. F. McCormick. Mr. Logan is one of the leading republicans of Knox county and is on his way home from the state convention at Omaha. His party has placed him in nomination for county judge and he believes the republicans stand a good show of carrying Knox.

Manager Sprecher has just received word from the superintendent of telephone exchanges stating that an order for equipment has been placed and while part of it is now on hand they are compelled to wait for other supplies from a Chicago electrical house, which they expect to receive and forward in about ten days. The exchange here will then be at once equipped for two operators.

THE NEWS was misinformed the other day when it announced that P. A. Shurtz had purchased the Beemer property first north of the depot in South Norfolk. A deal was made yesterday whereby Ed Grant, of the grocery firm of Collier & Grant, came into possession of the property. The present owner does not yet know what it will be used for but it will probably be rented. It is understood that the Fair store management is endeavoring to secure other property in which to open a grocery at the Junction.

Members of the senior class of the High school are now canvassing the city in an endeavor to see how their proposed lecture course next winter will be patronized. They calculate that in order to meet the expense incurred they will have to dispose of at least 120 season tickets at \$1.50 apiece. The amount this will bring will not pay all expense items but they are confident that enough more will be taken in at the door on the nights of entertainment to clear them. The series is a good one, consisting of high priced and well known lecturers, while one of the entertainments will be of a musical nature. The dates have not yet been set but it is probable that the first entertainment will be given either the latter part of November or the first of December. The following are the attractions that compose the course: The Lyric Ladies of Chicago, a musical organization of wide renown; Col. L. P. Copeland, a humorous orator who has a fine reputation as a choice entertainer; Benjamin Chopin a dramatic reciter who carries out a play, assuming all the parts, in a very interesting manner; and John Temple Graves, a southern orator who has achieved distinction as a platform speaker and who can be relied upon to afford an evening of pleasure and instruction to those who attend his lectures. The entire series is well worthy of patronage and those who appreciate a high class entertainment and instruction will make no mistake in assisting the class by the purchase of tickets.

## MONDAY MENTION.

Julius Hult went to Omaha today for a few days' visit.

Mrs. P. A. Shurtz is very ill at her home on Park avenue.

Mrs. Van Horn is in the city from Osmond visiting friends.

Rev. and Mrs. F. P. Wigton left today for their home in Osmond.

H. J. Folbur of Wayne visited with Norfolk friends yesterday.

M. B. Foster and W. E. Reid of Madison Sundayed in Norfolk.

Geo. W. Christoph will go to Omaha tomorrow to see the exposition.

Miss Nellie Seymour returned from her visit to Lincoln last evening.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Beeler was very sick yesterday.

Mrs. S. E. Brackett has returned from a visit to Omaha and the exposition.

D. Rice, steward of the hospital, returned Saturday from a trip to Lincoln.

Miss Nina Walker was in from her school visiting her parents over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Teal have gone to Omaha and Missouri Valley on a visit.

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Battle Creek are shopping in the city today.

Miss Laella Hartman came up from Lincoln Saturday night to visit a few days at home.

C. E. Hutton, manager of the Pierce roller mills, passed through the city this morning on his way to Omaha.

Robert Johnson will depart for Chicago tomorrow to resume his course in medicine at Rush Medical college.

Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt and Mrs. G. F. Keiper will go to Omaha tomorrow morning to see the Ak-Sar-Ben parades this week.

Wholesale jewelry houses are very well represented in Norfolk today, there being five traveling men calling on local patrons.

Mrs. C. J. Stockwell departed this morning for a visit to her old home in Ames, Iowa. She will also visit in Council Bluffs.

C. H. Reynolds came in last night from Chicago, where he had been with Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. McBride on their way east.

Mrs. W. W. Quivey and daughter, Zoe, of Pierce returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit with Mrs. G. F. Keiper and other friends.

The Salter grain elevator is now enclosed and ready for the machinery which will probably arrive and be placed in position during the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bishop of New Haven, Conn., who have been here for several days, went to Pierce to visit relatives and look after business interest.

Mrs. A. B. Ellis came in from Omaha last night and, with her husband, will soon go to housekeeping in the residence on South Seventh street vacated by Mrs. Mary E. Ellis.

Misses Abbie Hodgetts and Johanna Hagey will leave Wednesday for Savannah, Ga., where they will teach in the school in which Miss Hodgetts instructed last year. The best wishes of their friends will accompany them.

In a recent shoot between Glissman, Nethaway and Bailey the following score was made: Glissman killed 21 out of a possible 25 and Nethaway 18. Bailey got 15 out of 20 and withdrew from the contest.

A letter has been received from Rev. J. J. Parker in which he states that he will not sail until October 4 from England and will probably not reach home before the middle of the month. He expected to sail on September 16th, but did not feel well enough to undertake the trip, therefore the delay.

Sheriff Will Davenport of Sioux City returned yesterday from the Black Hills and stopped long enough to eat dinner with his parents. He went to the hills to arrest a train robber, who he supposed was there. When he arrived he found the man was not the person he wanted, but was a brother to the robber.

F. J. Hoyer has resigned his position as operator at the union depot and has accepted a position as brakeman on the C. St. P. M. & O., trains No. 9 and 10. He will remove his family, this week to Emerson which is better situated for his work. His successor is L. P. Hale, who was connected with the signal service in Cuba during the late conflict.

The track-laying gang of the Union Pacific is in town putting in another siding in the Union Pacific yards. The track will be put in on the vacant place between the main and side track just southwest of the depot and will be used for the passenger cars which have heretofore been placed on the siding at the cold storage.

The regular term of the Stanton district court convened at Stanton today Judge R. E. Evans of Dakota City

passed through Norfolk on his way to that place, to preside. Attorneys M. C. Hazen and D. J. Koenigstein went down to attend the opening of the court. The most interesting case to come before the session is the Anderson murder trial.

The Sioux City Journal contains this item of interest to Norfolk people who remember Mr. Cameron and his disappearance: "The disappearance of Will Cameron from his home at Waterloo in June, 1897, was a nine days' wonder. Mrs. Cameron visited Waterloo the other day, bringing to mind the fact that no knowledge of Mr. Cameron's whereabouts has come to light since his unceremonious departure."

Frank Taft, who has been ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. D. Pratt, since the first of June, passed away at 1 o'clock this morning. The deceased was about 35 years of age and unmarried. He came here in June, hoping that the climate might prove beneficial to his health, but the change was unavailing and he has gradually failed, until death came to his relief. Short services will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt tomorrow morning at 10:30 and the body will be taken to the old home of the family at Brattleboro, Vt., for interment. The remains will leave on the 12:30 train over the Elkhorn and will be accompanied to their destination by Burr Taft, brother of the deceased.

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